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# GLADIOLI 

and Various Bulbs and Plants Grown by JOHN LEWIS CHILDS

OUR Collection of Gladioli is the largest and finest in existence. Their cultivation is our leading specialty, and last season we grew I50 acres of them. All guaranteed first-class and true to name. We also offer a choice collection of home-grown Lilies, Iris, Cannas, and various Bulbs and Plants.

TERMS.-All bills due January rst and June Ist. If not paid then interest will be added. Orders from unknown parties must be accompanied with cash or satisfactory reference. Io bulbs given at 100 rates; 250 at r,000 rates. A discount of 8 per cent. for cash with order, or 5 per cent. if paid within 30 days. All goods travel at risk of consignee.

Prices are F. O. B. Floral Park, N. Y. Advise how you want order shipped.

A very small charge will be made for Packing Cases and Barrels.

"BLANCHE"'

## Early Orders Will Secure the Finest Bulbs

# John Lewis Childs 

Floral Park, N. Y., U. S. A.


## Our Grand Mixed Gladioli.

Our mixed Gladiolus are very fine indeed, being choice varieties only, All old and common ones haveboen discarded, and customers can depend upon having a large and magnificent variety of colors.

## Pink and White Mixture ( $\mathbf{N e w}$ )

This is the ideal mixture for the florist who wants something extra fine for particular trade. Some of our best whites and pinks are used, including "America." $\$ 3.00$ per 100; $\$ 25.00$ per 1000 .

## Blue Hybrid Seedlings.

This mixture is the result of sowing seeds of the best blue shades obtainable from Europe and the variation of colors is beyond description. Per 100, $\$ 5.00$; per 1000, $\$ 40.00$.


## Mixtures Under Separate Golors G. Gandevensis.

These are very choice and absolutely true to color. We call special attention to our EXTRA WHITE and
GHT. They are extra fine. LIGHT. They are extra fine.
Extra White and Light varieties, mixed, all first class, best named sorts, ..... 50
White and Light varieties, mixed superb. ..... 150 ..... 1200
Scarlet and Red-Extra fine scarlet and red. ..... 100Pink-Fine pink and rose shades900
Yellow and Orange-Best vellow colors. ..... 150
Striped and Variegated-Extra fine ..... 350
Scarlet, White Throat-Extra fine mixed. ..... 250
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## Gandavensis.

## Per roo rooo 5000

Ajax-Beautifui Striped.......
Augusta-Lovely pure white,
 with blue anthers

| 200 | 1500 | 65 | 00 |
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| I 50 | 10 | 00 | 45 |

Brenchleyensis - Vermiliionscarlet......................
Canary Bird-Fine yellow.. 6005000 oo

Ceres Pure white, spotted with purplish rose.

| I | 50 | 1200 | 55 |
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Dr. Hogg - Mauve, suffused witi rose; center white.
$400 \quad 3000$
Emma, Thursby - IV hite ground; carmine stripes.

3 oo 20 oo 90 oo
Eugene Scribe-Perfect tender rose, blazed carmine-red. .
Gen. Phil Sheridan - Fiery red, white line running through each petal
$400 \quad 3000$

Glory of Brightwood -Scarlet; with lemon throat.......
$300 \quad 2500$
$400 \quad 3000$
Isaac Buchanan - Very fine Lamarck (De)-Cherry, lightly tinted with orange. $400 \quad 3500$ $50 \quad 1200$

Le Poussin-Light red, white blotch.............. $400 \quad 3000$ Mad. Monneret--Delicate rose.
May-A lovely pure white flower finely flaked rosy crimson..
Mrs.Krelage--Fiery red, white throat, veined carmine and white . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Octoroon-A beautiful salmonpink; very distinct.... .... Reine Blanche--Pure white, dark carmine blotch.
Richard Cœur de Lion-Fine spike of large flowers of bright crimson-red color flamea and edged with garnet
.......
Shakespeare-Whit e, very slightly suffused with carminerose; large rosy blotch.
$600 \quad 5000$
Sylphide-Pure white, flamed carmine................... streaked with carmine........
$400 \quad 3000$

## Miscellaneods.

Blue Jay-(Baron Hulot)-The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen. It is a rich deep color of indigo shade....a ${ }^{\text {Giadiolus - ( M m e }}$
Easter Gladiolus - (M m e
Lemonier)-Very early, white, with lemon tinge.
Jessie-Fine velvety red long spike of flowers .
Klondyke-Light yellow, crimson maroon blotch.

I $50 \quad 1200$

Per 100 1000 5000
Marie Lemonie-Large spike of fine well-expanded flowers; upper division of a pale creamy color flusined salmon-iilac, the lower divisions spotted violet.
Mrs. Francis King - Light scarlet of pleasing shade.....
Princeps-Color, rich crimson with broad white blotches across the lower petals making it a most striking variety... Io oo


## GLADIOLLS "AIIERICA." <br> THE PEER OF ALL GLADIOLI

GROWTH. By far the most vigorous and easily grown Gladiolus known. Strong and healthy, with luxuriant dark-green foliage and a freedom of growth and flowering surpassing all others.

FLOWERS. Spikes two to three feet long, erect with a great number of large spreading blossoms, ail facing one way and showing a color the delicacy and beauty of which it is impossible to descrive or reproduce. It is an exquisite soft lavender pink, very light, almost a tinted white; the color is the same as seen in the most exquisite Cattleya Orchids. No color like it in any other Gladiolus; none half so beautiful.

USEFULNESS. As a cut flower it is perfectly immense, lasting in water for a week or more, the great blossoms retaining full size and delicate coloring. For florists use and for bedding it is without a rival.

FOR FORCING. "America" forces easily and is the most profitable variety for that purpose. Its fine color makes it a ready seller at big prices.
"AMERICA" has been awarded Certificate of Merit by S. A. F., Washington, D. C.; Mass. Hort. Soc., Boston, ; by American Institute, N. Y. City, N. Y. Florists Club, Rhode Island Hort. Soc., Connecticut Hort. Soc. Also used for decorating the Yacht "Mayflower"" when Pres. Roosevelt recesved the Peace Envoys of Japan and Russia.

Strong Flowering Bulbs $\$ 4.00$ per 100 .
$\$ 35.00$ per rooo.
$\$$ r62.50 per 5000 .

"ALINE"

## A Grand New White GLADIOLUS

## "ALINE"

One of the finest pure white sorts ever introduced.

The flower is pure white and very large bell shape well formed, on a strong spike. Extra.
$\$ 3.00$ per doz. $\$ 20.00$ per 100 .

## New Gladiolus <br> for Jrhis Year.

The following fine sorts originated with us some years ago and are now named and described for the first time.
DOROTHY BURNHAM-(Childsi) -
Enormous size, rosy flame color with large pure white throat. Splendid.
PINK PEARL-(Childsi)-Light delicate pink, like a fine pink colored - pearl. Exquisite.

ROSY SPRAY - (Childsi) - White, beautifully sprayed rose. Large and fine.
GEO. VOLLMAR - (Gand.) - Dark pink suffused orange with light yellow rays and throat. Very fine.

Price, 30 c . each: $\$ 25.00$ per 100.


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## Gladiolus Ghildsi

Tall and erect, standing four ard five feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet in length. They branch freely, in most cases each stem producing three or four spikes and bloom much earlier than ordinary varieties. The flowers are of great size, frequently seven to nine inches across. The form of both flowers and spike is perfection itself, and they last in bloom a long time before fading, owing to their great substance and vigor, but the most remarkable feature is the coloring. Orchids cannot surnass them in their varied and delicate shades, markings and blendings. Every color known among Gladiolus is represented, and many never before seen, particularly blues, smoky grays and purple blacks, all having beautiful mottled throats, made up of white, crimson, pink, yellow, etc., and in this neculiar network of charming spots and colnrs lies one of its special points of unsurpassed beauty. They outrank all other Gladiolus in size of snike, size of bloom, vigor, varied and magnificent coloring and freedom of bloom.

America-Large flower, flesh pin
....\$ 400

- A large wide open flower, pure white, slightly
strined crimson or pink. Extra me..................... 2000
Attraction-Deep, dark, rich crimson with a very conspieuous large pure white center and throat. At once a most beautiful and attractive sort. ............
Adolph Glose-Large spreading flower of a slaty blue
color, with large crimson and and white throat.... Color pink, mottled and striped with dark crimson. White throat.
A. H. Goldsmith-Large flower of great substance.

Adolf Jaenicke - Extra large, beautiful blush pink with bright violet and purple mottled center. Very delicately and beautifully colored .......................
delicately and beautifully colored....i................... 1000
Barclay-Fine wide flower, soft rose with white throat 2500
Ben Hur-Large compact spike, enormous flower of a peculiar and almost indescribable color. Light salmon-rose,tinged,flaked and mottled and spotted. 1500
Brilliant - Beautiful orange-red, with carmine and
Burlington-Bright pink, beautifully tinged with or-ange-scarlet. Carmine and white throat............ ange-scarlet. Carmine and white throat.............
 1anche-Large Howers, pure snow-white, with but faint marks.
Boston-Flaming orange-scarlet, with white throat... 1000 Cardina1-Perfect flower and spike, very large and the brightest, clearest and most intense cardinal scarlet yet seen. Very rich and showy and by all odds the very finest high-colored sort yet seen..............
Columbia-Lirht orange-scarlet, freely blotched and penciled with bluish purple. Throat freely mottled. 200
Compacta-Large flower, very compact. Wide spike. Rosy blush, slightly striped and mottled pink. Quite distinct and very handsome..

1000
Capt. C. B. Tanner-Extra large and fine. Brilliant crimson and white freely mottled and intermixed. : 600 Dr. Sellew-Large spike and very large flower, of great substance. Deen, rich rosy carmine, slightly penciled darker. Petals and throat rayed white. 400
Dawn-Elegantrose with large pure white center. Exceedingly beautiful.

1500


Cardinal

Dr. Parkhurst-A spike nearly three feet in length and bearing unwards of 25 flowers. Dark, brilliant red, with an elegantly white mottled throat. A superb variety
Debozah - Dark red, tinged with amaranth. Large White thro:it and blotches, white band through petals.
Dtichess - Strong luxuriant grower with immense spikes two feet in length, color peculiar mottling of light and dark salmon-reds, with white spotted and mottled throat. $\qquad$
Edith-Light soft rose, striped crimson, yellow throat 2000
Eva-Beautiful rose shaded and marked with slate Throat finely mottled with various colors...
Expansion-Large widely expanded blossoms. White, pink and crimson freely mottled
Freak-Flowers without stamens oranthers and often
F. quite double. Rich maroon red,shaded slaty-blue. pure white center. Very fine and showy variety...
Fantastic-Large flaming scarlet of a bright shade, freely penciled deep crimson.
G七o. B. Remsen-Bright crimson and white freelyintermixed
Governor McCormack - Extra large flowersandi..................................................... Beautiful rose, mottled with silvery gray and with violet and white mottled throat. Very fine, being of unusual beauty and oddity..
G1owing Coa1-Brisht, deen fire scarlet, with a rich velvety maroon throat. Exceedingly rich and brilliant color
Gracilis -Slender, graceful spike with large flowers of a dull red color, margined and penciled slate blue..
Harlequine-White and dark crimson freely suffused, striped and spotted.
Helen - Blnsh white, strined crimson Very pretty .... 1000
Henry Gillman-Deep salmon-scarlet, with nure white bands; the throat showing peculiar mottling.
I. S. Hendrickson-A beautiful and irregular mottling of white and bright deep pink: in some the pink, and in others the white, nredominating. Flowers and spike very large and flne.
Indian Chief-Briliant ruby red, clear and distinct white stripes through three lower petals
Irene-Fine large flower and staik. Color a fine shade of pink freely flaked bright crimson.
Jay-Compact spike: large open flower of great sub stance. Bright crimson-pink, flamed darker.....
Kate-Blush white, with crimson blotched throat....... ted siate-blue.................................................. throat. A conspicuous and attractive flower.
Lavender Queen-Beautiful blending of lavender and lilac. Entirely new colors, very distinet.

Lael-Soft pink, with bright carmine throat, shaded orange and having a peculiar metallic lustre.
Leonard Joerg - A compact snike of fincly shaped flowers, rich crimson and white mottled, with a yelloiv throat.
Little Blush-Dwarf habit, compact spike of blush white

Livonia-Light red, with white mottled throat............ 4 oo
Los Angeles-Pure white, freely marked, penciled and blotched with bright rosy-crimson. An exceeding. iy fine color and large flower..
Lydia-A fantastic mottling of pinkish white and deep rich crimson, in some flowers the white predominating and in others the crimson, no two snikes being exactly alike.

600
Marginata-Fine salmon, with crimson and white throat, each petal having a delicate margin of slate blue
Marion-Pure white with slight rose tinge and a distinctly yellow shaded throat with crimson bars....
Mayor-Fine large compact spike: rich purple rose... 1000
Melrose-White flaked pink, bright crimson centre. Very large and fine
Middreboro-Salmon-pink, freely tlaked and renciled with deep rose, and carmine mottled throat.
Mohonk - A strong, rank grower, flowers of large size, and great substance. Deep dark pink with spotted throat, shaded orange and flaked with moropotted
Mrs. Beecher-Beautiful deep rosy crimsoll. Large well-opened flower, with pure white throat freely marked and spotted.
Mrs. La Mance-White overspread with a slight lilac shadow, the mottling being purplish crimson.
Mrs. R. A. Goldsmith-Large flower, fine snike. Soft lelicate rose, shaded lighter. Pure white throat... 1000
Monster-Enormous sized blossoms, one of the very
largest. W. N. Bird- Beautiful lilac rose, crimson-white mottling in throat, and earmine marks. Extra fine. Nakomis-Soft pink, blotched and chaded with orangewhite and crimson throat. Enormous spikes......
Newark-Orange-red, with mottled throat................. 1000


Per 100
Nezinscott - Bright blcod scarlet, with deep velvety
crimson-black hlotches and white mottlinge ........ Color delicate white, softly pelciled with rose and with large sulphur yellow throat. Perfectly exquisite and distinct.
Novelty-Rosy crimson, flaked darker. Loirer petals deep velvety crimson, blotched and mottled white. Very striking color.
Oddity-Deen ammanth red, deeply suffused with purple-blue. Large distinct white marks and red and white mottled throat.
01d Oxford-Slaty crimson heavily clouded with blue. Large crimson and white mottled.
Oriole-Lovely mottling of pink and gray, with beautiful yellow banded throat. Exquisite spike......... having pure white bars through center of each petal.
Prescott-Lovely fower, almost white, pink tinge and large bright purple throat. Exceedingly showy.... 2000

## Per 100

Princeton-Large flaming red, with violet and white mottlings in throat, spikes of great length........... 1000
Prince of India - Color varies from light to deep smoky-gray, many of the petals being zoned and banded; and freely penciled with dark slaty-blue mottled with white. A most remarkable mixture of colors and one of great oddity and beauty.........30 00
Portland-Rosy-red, penciled darker, mottled throat. 400 Princeps-Rich crimson with very deen shadings in the throat and blotches on lowor petals.
Rosedale-Lilac-rose, tinted slate-blue....................... 10 oo
Roseann - Very tall imposing spike. Bright rosy crim-
son. White mottled throat
1000
Scribe-A beautiful, large, well-opened flower and an enormous spike. Color like the fine old Eugene Scribe, tinted white, freely striped carmine......... 1200
mon-Colnr salmon pink
Salmon-Colnr salmon pink with large canary-........................... throat. Mottled velvety maroon. Very striking color. 500 Spot-White freely spotted and mottled rose............. 800 Sacramento-Deep, bright coral scarlet, with white
mottlings............................................................. 1000
Sandusky-Carmine red penciled and farker. 800


WILD ROSE

Per $10 a$
Saratoga-Large, flaming orange-scarlet ................ 6 oo
Salem-Fine salmon-pink, maroon blotches.............. 3 oo
Senator Childs - Large, well opened flower, deep
slowing red, with enormous while throat........... 20 oo
Sentry-Blush-pink, spotted crimson. Difarf............ 10 oo
Siboney-Slaty-gray, marked and mottled darker.... 200
Splendor-A splendid large flower, of the softest,
sweetest rose color. Large magenta strain.......... 800
Striped Banner-Very tall with long spikes. Flowers large and well opened; white, freely marked and striped deepest crimson
St. Louis-Very large fower of a splendid 2000
Superb-Enormous flower and spife, of of the very 1000
uperb-Enormous flower and svike, one of the very
largest: pink, flaked and striped with salmon pink. 6 oo
Torch-Light-Very large spike of jarge, light, flaming
scarlet flowers. Throat mottled and spotted white 1500
Variabilis--Enormous size and vigor, standing nearly seven feet high with the larges: spikes ever seen on any Gladiolus. The flowers range in color from duil
deep pink, flaked, with blue-black, to a solid blue-
black color of smoky hue, flaked with pink....... .
Waukesha-Salmon-pink, sharled lighter inside; large beautiful nrimrose throat, thickly mottled crimson. 500 Wm. Falconer-Spike of great length and flowers of enormous size. Beautiful clear light pink............. 400 Wyandanch - Very light red, white throat.
Widd Rose-Very bright rose or blush tint, exceeding-
ly delicate and pretty............. .. ....................... 1500

## "Our Famous Eight."

A collection of Gladiolus that will appeal to the most iritical observer as being noted for superior merit.
America-Large flower, flesh pink, beautiful.
Blanche-Large flowers, pure snow-white, with but faint marks.
Blue Jay-(Baron Hulot)-The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen. It is a rich deep color of indigo shade.
Contrast-Flowers of great substance and a beautiful compact spike of perfect form. Color intense scarlet with a large, distinct pure white center which is neither tinted or mottled. One of the most striking and beautiful Gladiolus ever introduced.
Harlequine-White and dark crimson freely suffused, striped, mottled and spotted.
Melrose-White flaked pink, bright crimson centre. Very large and fine.
Sulphur King-Beautiful clean, sulphur yellow, finest and clearest of yellow sorts ; without any doubt this is the very best yellow variety yet introduced.
Wild Rose-Very bright rose or blush tint, exceedingly delicate and pretty. This variety needs only to be seen to be appreciated and we predict a great future for it, In its particular color it stands alone.
Equal number of each variety at following prices.
$\$ 9.00$ per roo. For trial: I each for 75 c . 5 of each for $\$ 3.50$. A superb collection for the garden.

## Varieties for Forcing,

or florists use, which we specially reccommend:

100<br>1000

America-Flesh pink... ...............\$400 \$3500
Attraction-Crimson, white throat.... $400 \quad 3000$
Augusta-White with b!ue anthers... 200 I5 00
Brenchleyensis-Red................. I 50 Io on
Easter-White with lemon tinge....... I 50 I2 00
May-White slightly flaked.............. 200 I5 on
Melrose-White flaked pink..... ..... 1000 8o 00
Scribe-Tinted white striped carmine... $1200 \quad 10000$
Shakespeare-White suffused carmine. $600 \quad 50$ on
Wild Rose-Blush tint. . . ............ I5 00


This Gladiolus being so veryichean, and so very handsome and valuable as a cut flower, should be most extensively planted by florists and others who grow for market, It makes a beautiful spike, compact and perfect, while the individual blossoms are of great substance and will stand shipping without bruising better than any other variety. Its color is one of the most attractive as well as one that is in greatest demand, being almost pure white, with markings of bright rosy crimson. It is a strong, healthy grower, and will give immense satisfaction in all localities and for all purposes. As an inexnensive variety we recommend it above all others with the possible exception of Ceres.

## GANDAVENSIS <br> "MANDASE:" <br> 6lLADIOLUS

First Size Bulbs-Per 100, $\$ 2.00$; per $1, C 00 \$ 15.00$.

## Geres.

Another highly valuable variety for the cut flower rade. One of the best of the white or light colored class, a good free grower and fine bloomer. Fine bulbs, $\$ 1.50$ per 100 ; $\$ 12.00$ per 1,000 .

# Gladiolus Gandavensis. 

## Best Named Varieties. Ten Bulbs siven at roo Rate.



Ajax-Beautiful striped variety.................................. 200
Amalthee-Pure white with violet-red blotch; ground of the corolla velvety violet, the lower petals slightly tinted with lilac.
Augusta-Lovely pure white, with blue anthers. A splendid sort.
Brenchleyensis -Vermilion-scarlet; fine old variety... 150
Canary Bird-Finest yellow.
600
Carnation-Fleshy-white, profusely tinged at the edges with the lichest carmine.........................
Ceres-Pure white, spotted with purplish rose....... .. 150
Chamont-Lilac shaded with purple.
....... 500
Contrast-Flowers of great substance and a beautiful comnact spilie of perfect form. Color intense scarlet with a larre, distinct pure white center which is neither tinted or mottled. One of the most striking and beautiful Gladiolus ever introduced................
Conquete-Large and fine flower of bright cherryred, with a conspicuous pure white, unper petals striped with delicate rose.
Corsaire-Compact spike, large flomers of a very intense dark and velvety scarlet, tinted brown.....
Conntess Craven-Rose, flaked carmine
Eor Hogg-Ma uve, suffused rose; center white. 4 oo
Edna-White and pink, freely striped, mottled and blotched.

2500
Emma Thursby-White striped and blotched.......................... 3 on
Eugene Scribe-Perfectly tender rose, blazed car-
Fra Diavolo-Long, compact spike of laige, bright or ange.red flowers finshed violet-red at the elges of the sepuls: large pale yollow blet at the elges of
Gen. Phil Sheridan-Fiery red, large, white blotch...
Gen. Sherman-Extra jine large scarlet...................
Glory of Brightwood-Scarlet, with lemon throat.....
Glare-Compact snike of large size and perfect form. Intense scarlet, with a bright violet-blue throat....
Glory-Enormous folres, ancinert
Harmonia-Bright purple shaded crimson, and veined white, with a large snow-white center.............. Isaac Buchanan-Extra fine yellow.
Lamarck(De)-Cherry,sijghtly tinted with orange-red 150
Latone-Tall and very compact spike; fine flowers.. 600
Le Poussin-Light red, white blotch....................... 400
Lemon Drop - Light lemon with bright yellow throat.
.. 50
, its - Fine snike; orangescarlet, llaked maroon.. 5
Mrs. E. H. Krelage-Fiery red; white blotch.......... 500
Magnificus-T'all variety with handsome spikes of large flowers; round and onen; cinnabar red; fine white blotch ; edged with violet.
Mahdi-Large, deep, reddish-black. 1000
Madame Leseble-Pure white, large rose blotch....... 60
Madame Monneret-Delicate rose............... ${ }_{3} 00$
Marie Berger-Rosy lilac, blotched and striped with red shadedinto yellowish rose towards the center... 1500
May-A lovely pure white finely flaked rosy crimson.. 200
Maseppa-Fin orange. Good nerfect flower......... 500
Mr. Bains-A distinct color, a clear, light red; self color.

Prolific Pink-Deep pink with crimson liase...... .... 100
Pactole - Beautiful yellow, slightly tinged with rose... 5 oo
Pepita-Bright golden yellow flowers, slightly striped 600
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Phebus-Briiliant red; large pure white blotch....... 600
Reine B1anche-Pure white, dark carmine blotch.... 300
Reverend Berkeley - Light mose and tinged vio-lot-carmine, teathered white blotch..
Richard Coetr de Lion-Filiespilie of large flowers of a bright crimson-red color flamed and edged
with garnet; lower petals spotted and blotched yellow
Robert Fortune - Orange-lake, shading off to purplecrimson: reined trhite.
Shakespeare-White, very slightly suffused with carmine rose ; large rosy motch................................
Sunshine-Tall snike with 20 or more flowers. Fine yellow.............................................................. 1000
Salmonia-Good snike of flowers which are comnosed of various shades of salmon yellow...
Sunset-Loveiy nink, blotched and flamed darker.... in oo
S. Parne11-Bright rosy nink. Shaded lighter inside.. 1500

Sylphide-Pure white, flamed carmine.................... 400
Su1phur King-Beautiful clean, sulphur yellow...... 1s no
Thalia-White, flamed and streaked with carmine.... 400


## New Yellow Gladioli.

Primulinus.- Very rare species from Victoria Falls, South Africa; grows 3 to 4 feet tall and is very vigorous. The flowers are of good size and are a clear primrose yellow. Blcoms late in July. \$10.00 per ioo.

Primulinus Hybrids. - Hybrids of the above, with many related species and choice garden varieties. Extremly vigorous and healthy growers blooming in July, and August. Grow 3 to 5 feet high, with long spikes of richly colored blooms, varying in color from clear yellow to crimson, the latter with large soft orange or golden throats. $\$ 8.00$ per 100 .

## Lemoines Hardy Gladioli.

Per 100
At1as - Clear violet, large velvety maroon blotch.. 3 oo Andre Chenier-Pink, spotted black and yellow... 3 oo Admira1 Pierre - Dark carmine-red, clouded
maroon............................................... 300
Baron Hulot-(Blue Jay)-The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen. It is a rich, deep color of an indigo shade. The onlv real blue Gladiolus on the market.................................................... throat violet maroon; edged with salmon....... 500 Chas. Marte1--Rosy blush, intense large carmine blotch. 200 De Cheville-Salmon red, buff blotch.............. 500 Dandy-Vigorous, long spike of large blossoms. Color dark crimson, with fine yellow center.... 500 Edison - A beautiful combination of many rich colors.

## Gladiolus

## "Sulphur King."

This is by all odds the most valuable yellow variety ever introduced.

It produces a very long spike of the clearest sulphur yellow flowers yet seen in any Gladiolus.

As it becomes known there will be a great demand for it, as it fills the need for a sterling vellow variety.
$\$$ I 5.00 per 100

Emile Lemoine-Bright vermillion dotted gold. 300
Etendard-Light brick-red, with large canary blotches.
500 Easter Gladiolus-(Mme Lemoiuier) - \$12.00 per looo.. 150 Fireflush-Deep brilliant salmon with a fiery tinge and
rich velvety maroon center. Brilliant and showy. 1000
F. Bergman - Large orange-nink, with carmine
stains .................................................... 300
Gen'1. Faidherb-Very large. Carmine rose, dark
purplish red blotch......... ................................
400
Incendiary - Fiery red, large blotch of crimson-red... 300
Ketelar-Salmon scarlet with lemon and crimson..... 400
Lamarck-Salmon, crimson and yellow spots.......... 300
Lafayette - Very large, yellowish salmon, crimson blotch........................................................... 500
Marie Lemoine - Pale creamy color, purplish red blotch.............................................................. 200 Masque de Fer-Crimson-black, blotched............... 400
Morning Star-Flowers showy white with a large, rich velvety crimson throat. Exceedingly striking and beautiful and the earliest to bloom of all
Gladioli.
1000
Pactole-Creamy-yellow, blotched carmine.............. 600
Vashti-Creamy-white, blotched carmine.
$\$ 300$

## Mixed Lemoinei Gladioli.

We offer a splendid mixture of Gladiolus Lemoinei, all colors and varieties. More than 100 sorts. $\$ 1.50$ per 100. \$10 ner 10 ono.


All the Lily bulbs we offer are of our own growing, and they may be relied upon for health, vigor and free growing qualities. Our stock of L. Tenuifoilum is very large and fine.

Doz. 100. 1000. Auratum-(The Golden Banded Lily of JAPAN) - We can say that this is the grandest of all Lilies, and certainly the most nopular. Batemannia - Three to four feet high with 5 to 10 llowers of reddish orange color. Blooms Canadense- Luvely nodding biossoms........... belishaped. yellow spotted black. Elegans-Fine mixed colors
Elegans Bicolor-Bright red flushed orange: very showy and large

[^0]Elegans Aurora - Deep rich orange. suffused
100800750
Elegans Leonard Joerg - Rich apricot spotted,
very fine... ......................................... $100800 \quad 7500$
Elegans Sanguineum-Very rich dark red with few spots
.1008007500
Hansoni-A rare and fine Lily. Flowers appear iv large clusters. Rich yellow with black spots.
ongiforum-White
Pardalinum-(Leopard Lily) - Rich scarlet
and vellow flowers, spotted with rich brown. Robust and free flowering........................
$75 \quad 500 \quad 4500$
Superbum - Three to six feethigh, flowers from five to forty, nodding: brilliant orange-red, Blooms in July.
$60 \quad 400 \quad 3500$
Tigrinum, fl. pl.-(Double Lily)-This is a plant of stately habit. growing from 4 to 5 feet high ; foliage is dark green and very long; bearing an immense number of double bright orange-red flowers, spotted with black.......
Tigrinum, Splendens-Improved Tiger Lily ... 403002500
Umbellatum-One of the very best, blooming in June or July. 25 finest sorts mixed......
$60 \quad 4003500$

Wa11acei-This Lily is very floriferous, each bulb throwing up from 4 to 6 flower stems, each one of which is crowned with
8 to 10 beautiful upright blossoms, of a delicate, bright apricot color. Very perfect in form and a most desirable sort... 604003500

## Grand Speciosum Lliles.

Henryi-New and exceedingly rare. Tall. strong grower, ploducing flowers in great profusion of a fine apricot-yellow color.

Melpomene-Words cannot describe the beauty of this variety, Frosted white, spotted. clouded and bordered with pinkish crimson.
Petals deeply recurved and widely bordered. $00 \quad 7006000$ Mostrosum Album-Broad. flat stems and immense heads of flowers. often fifty in a cluster. Pure snow white.
Opa1-The deeply recurved petals are snowry white at the tip, graduaily deepening in color to the base of each petal, which is blotched with a raised moss-like fringe. which glistens like diamonds, The flower is very large.... 400250020000
Praecox-Large. perfect and beautifu!. Frosted white with a tinge of blush at the top of netals. The blush-like fringe in each petal adds to its beauty.................
Punctatum-Fine white, with a delicate pink 00800 tinge and rosy spots..............................
Rubrum-Deep rose, freely spotted crimson and brum-Deep rose, freely spotted crimson and
mottled white : perfectly exquisite........... $756.00 \quad 5505$


## Lilium Hansoni

The above picture gives a good idea of the free-flowering qualities of this superb Lilium. The bulbs in this bed have been planted one to three years, and range in height from two to six feet, and present a very striking appearance. This lily is a native of Japan, and has always been high in price, but we have a stock of strong home-grown bulbs that will give splendid satisfaction, especially if planted in the Fall under conditions favorable to lilies. Bulbs, $\$ 30.00$ per 100.

## Grand New Lilium, Golden Gleam

A seedling of that lovely Lily, Tenuifolium, and is identical to it in form, habit, brilliant lustre, etc., except in color which is a beautiful pure golden yellow.

75 c . each. \$60.00 per $\mathbf{1 0 0}$.

## Lilium Tenuifoliam

The lovely Coral Lily of Siberia. A great beauty. The brightest of all Lilies. Grows 20 inches high, with finely cut foliage, slender stems and beautiful shaped flowers of a brilliant coral-red. One ought to grow them by the dozen, they are so fine for cutting, and make such grand clumps for the lawn. Blooms very early. Having grown an enormous stock of this exquisite Lily we are prepared to offer it at the exceedingly low price of $\$ 5.00$ per IOO; $\$ 40.00$ per IOOO.

# J'wo Grand Speciosum Lilies <br> Henryi <br> <br> Opal 

 <br> <br> Opal}
(The Yellow Speciosum)
A splendid Lily from the mountains of China. It is a most vigorous I ily. Its flowers closely resemble those of L. speciosum in shape, but in color they are a handsome deep orange-yellow banded with green. It will thrive without any special care and produce a strong panicle of flowers. Like most other Lilies of the Speciosum class, it is well to cover it a little.

We had thought that no Speciosum could exceed Melpomene, but this new Lily is even larger, grander, and if possibie. more richly colored. Like the Opal, for which it is named. the eye drinks in its lovely tints with delight. To say that it is frosted, glistenng white, delicately clouded with rosy scarlet, is to convey but a slight idea of its perfect loveliness. The deeply recurved petals are snowy white at the tip, gradually deepening in color to the base of each petal, which is blotched with a raised, moss-like fringe, which glistens like diamonds. The flower is very large.


The following are among the very best of the improved flowering Cannas, and will give great satisfaction.

Per 100
Allemania-Enormous flower 6 inches across, petals $21 / 2$ inches wide. Bright yellow and orange-crimson, beautifully spotted and variegated. 5 feet........ \$ 300 Burbank-Enormous flowers, beautiful canary-yellow. Both in foliage and flower it is grand . 5 feet. 300 Compte de Bouchard-- Golden yellow flowers spotted red. $41 / 2$ feet.

300

## IRIS.

## Iris are among the most useful of hardv plants for using in the border or en masse.

## Our stock of both Japanese and German are home grown. Pieces will average 2 eyes.

## IRIS KAEMPFERI OR JAPANESE.

## DOUBLE

EXCELSIOR-Shaded violet purple, slightly veined white. Center white and orange.
GOLD BOUND-Pure white, one of the best.
LA FAVORITE-Large fine white, freely veined blue.
MAHOGANY-Dark red shaded maroon.
ORIOLE-Rich plum, marked rellow.
PYRAMID-Lilac blue, veined, white center each petal.
SPOTГED BEAUTY-Wavy, double silky white, spotted with violet crimson.
VICTOR-White veined violet purple.
SINGLE

APOLLO-Pure white, pink center.
GRANI I'E-Grayish white, overlaid blue.
H. VON SIEBOLDT-Reddish, veined white, yellow center. $\$ 3.00$ per 100 .

LAVENDER QUEEN-Fine lavender.
LOVELOCKS- Deep reddish purple, slightly veined white. Center white and yellow, satiny finish.
MIRAGE-Light pink, suffused with light blue.
MARS-Reddish purple, striped and blotched white.
ONDINE - White shaded light blue towards centre.
PLUME--White slightly suffused with blue, violet veins. Center deep lilac.
SNOWBOUND-LLarge pure white with golden hands.
TOLEDO-White, light purple center.

## Variabilis-~New.

Extra large flowers with beautiful wavy petals, white and indigo blue suffused, blotched, striped and mottled. $\$ 8.00$ per 100 .

Above named sorts (except where noted) $\$ 6.00$ per 100; $\$ 50.00$ per iooo. Double and Single varieties mixed $\$ 3.50$ per 100; $\$ 30.00$ per 1000 .
SEEDLINGS: Some beautiful colors, all very fine, $\$ 4.00$ per 100; $\$ 30.00$ per 1000 .

## Iris Pallida [0almatica.

Claimed to be the noblest of all the Iris family, stems growing three to four feet with leaves 2 inches wide and 18 inches long. The flowers are very large, sky blue and fragrant. \$12.00 per 100.

## Iris Germanica.

ALVELREA-Upright petals light blue, falls brilliant purple, blue flaked and feathered.
CANDIANUS - Light lavender; falls reddish purple.
FLORENTINA-Creamy white, fragrant and early; fine for cutting.
FRAGRANCE--White edged with blue; falls white with blue penciling.
HONORABLE-Intense yello:v, falls a beautiful bronze. \$10.00 per 1000
INNOCENCE-White, edged with blue.
MRS. H DARWIN-Very fine large white.
MADAII CHEREAU-Pure white, edged with azure blue; falls deep white with blue penciling.

NECLECTA-Upright, fine blue; falls deep blue. Large flower.
PEARL-Very light lavender, falls deep lavender.
PENELOPE-Uprights are nearly white, falls veined lively purple.
PARKMANI-Uprights pure lemon: falls white veined purple.
QUEEN OF THE GYPSIES -- Dusky light bronze; falls purplish red.
SANS SOUCCI- Yellow, elegantly reticulated light maroon.
STENOPHYLLA--Self color, light blue shaded darker.
SOUVENIR-Uprights brilliant yellow; falls freely veined network of yellow, buff and purple.
VELVETEEN - Yellowish buff; falls intense plum purple.
Named varieties (except where noted) $\$ 3.00$ per 100; \$25.00 per iooo.
Mixed $\$ 2.00$ per Ioo; $\$ 15.00$ per 1000 .


# Misceillaneous AMARYLIIS. 

Formosissima - ( Jacobaen Lily ) -
Dark crimson. ...........................
Johnsoni-(Bermuda Spice Lily). Crimson, white stripes.
Regina-Soft light scarlet with white centre or throat
Vittata Hybrids - The finest race of Amaryllis in cultivation, colors varying from blush-white to crimson

## APIOS

Tuberosa - (Tuberous-rooted Wistaria) - Clusters of rich deep purple flowers, which have a strong, delicious violet fragrance. Tubers...
Guttatum-(Monarch of the East)...... 50
Rivieri-Fine foliage. 6 oo
Simlense

## BESSERA.

Elegans-(Coral Drops) $\qquad$

## Bulbs,

## Etc. CALADIUMS

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| Esculentum- 5 to 7 inches............ \$ 200 |  |  |  |
| Violaceum-In every respect a valuable bedding plant. The leaves and particularly the stems have a decided blue effect. A fine companion to the common "Elephant's Ear". |  |  |  |
| Fancy, Named. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . <br> .6 6 60 <br> "6 50 <br> Seedlings. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 500 |  |  |  |
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| CINNAIMON VINE. |  |  |  |
| (Chinese Yam) Splendid hardy climber of rapid growth, with bright green foiliage, heart-shaped leaves and white cinnamon-scented flowers. |  |  |  |
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## CINNAMON VINE.

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## BULBOUS GRASS

A fine Ornamental Grass which grows from a small bulb that may be planted in the spring and lifted again in autumn like a Gladiolus. Of easy culture, one bulb forming a dense clump of beautiful striped green, white and pink foliage. It blooms towards the end of summer, producing pretty plumes, but the foliage itself, which keeps fresh all the season, is the most ornamental part. \$r.vo per Ioo; $\$ 8.00$ per 1000 .

## CHLIDANTHUS FRAGRANS.

One of the finest new bulbs now offered. Resembles an amary!lis, but starts growth and blooms as soon as potted; flowers are large, bright goiden yellow, and borne in elegant clusters, deliciously sweet. Strong blooming size bulbs.
. .....
\$ $300 . \$ 2500$

## CALLA.

A urata-(Lemon Calla)-New and fine, the flowers being a beautiful, light lemon yellow, with a jet black center, therefore very conspicuous and showy. Its foliage is large and handsome, deep green, freely spotted white. Makes a most superb pot plant................
Elliottiana-This is the great new Yellow Calla of marvelous beauty. Flowers are large, rich, dark golden yellow, often 4 to 5 inches across the mouth; leaves are beautifully spotted with white. 1500


Elliottiana growing in field.

## HYACINTHUS <br> CANDICANS

They contrast elegantly with Gladiolus. Planted anywhere, singly or in clumps, they are magnificent. Fer a cemetary nothing can be more beautiful or appropriate, and nothing thrives better in any situation. I to 2 inches, \$1. 25 per Ioo; \$10.00 per 1000, 2 to 3 inches \$1. 50 per 100; \$I2.00 per Iooo

## The Great Ismene.

## (Ismene Calathena Grandiflora)

These who are familiar with the true Giant Ismene cannot say enough in praise of its beauty and purity. The flowers Per 100 Iooo are of a very large size, iike an Amaryllis, novel form and
Mrs. Roosevelt- A new Calla with an elegant spotted leaf which is large and luxurious. Fowers white tinged with lemon and very beautiful........... . . 0 oo
Pentlandi-The newest of the Yellow Callas, the darkest and richest in color of them all. Its flowers are large and widely open and in all respects a glorious thing. We have only a few hundred bulbs, but they are large flowering size. $\$ 50.00$ per 100 .
Rhemanni-Another new Calla which has created a sensation in Europe and sold as high as ten dollars each. It is a strong, free grower with large blossoms which are of a fine pink color. \$15.0o per ioo.
Spotted-The well known Richardia Albo Maculata. \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

## COOPERIA.

Drummondii - (Evening Star). - White, fragrant. \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per Iooo.

## CRINUM

Fimbriatulum-(Milk and Wine Lily)\$8.00 per Ioo; \$75.00 per 1000.
Kirki-Soft delicate blush. \$12.00 per Ioo. Ornatum - Pure white. \$i2.00 per Ioo.

## EUCHARIS AMAZONICA.

If there is a purer, sweeter, or more exquisitely beautiful flower than this we never have had the good fortune to see it. It is a bulbous plant, throwing up tall spikes on which are borne several very large, star-shaped flowers of the purest waxy whiteness and unexcelled fragrance. For chaste beauty it has no peer, and we are fortunate in being able to offer large flowering bulbs. \$i2.00 per ioo; \$ioo.oo per iooo.

## GLOXINIA TUBIFLORA.

Flower-stems rise to the height of 2 feet, each bearing several large pure white blossoms 4 inches in length and of a peculiar and fascinating fragrance. $\$ 5.00$ per 100; $\$ 40.00$ per Iooo.
of snowy whiteness, and are also exceedingly fragrant. It is really one of the most lovely of all the great Amaryllis tribe, having a peculiar grandeur which one can appreciate at sight, but cannot describe. Bulbs are large and strong and begin to flower in two or three weeks after planting, sending up tall flower stems, which bear several of its magnificent blossoms. $\$ 5.00$ per Ioo; $\$ 40.00$ per Iooo.


ISMENE

## Lyoris Spuamigera

OR

## Amaryllis Hallii

A perfectly hardy Amaryllis producing beautiful pink flowers.

Description - Lycoris Squamigera produces in early spring attractive green foliage which grows until July when it ripens off and disappears, and one not familiar with its habits would think the bulb had died, but about a month later as if by magic the flower stalks spring from the ground to a height of two or three feet, developing an umble of large and beautitul lily-shaped flowers 3 to 4 inches across and from 8 to IL in number, of a delicate lilac pink shaded with clear biue.

Culture-As the buib is perfectly hardy without any protection it can be planted eitherin the Fall or Spring but we consider Fail the best time as the bulbs will have a splendid chance to get established before flowering time. Cover the crown about 4 inches.

Very usefu! for the border or among shrubbery.

Price for strong blooming bulbs, 2oc. each; \$15.00 per Ioo; \$140.00 per 1000.

## MADEIRA VINES.

## Per ioo Iooo

 A most popular climber, strong roots. $\$ \mathrm{I}$ I $000 \begin{aligned} & \text { Per } 100 \\ & \$ 800\end{aligned}$
## MILLA.

Biflora-(Mexican Star of Bethlehem)One of the loveliest and most desirable bulbs. The flowers are nearly $21 / 2$ inches in diameter, of a pure waxy white color and usually borne in pairs; the petals are of great substance and will keep for days when cut.
$250 \quad 2000$

## MONTBRETIAS.

Hardy Summer-flowering, bulbous plants, with brightly colored flowers, borne on long, graceful spikes. Valuable for cutting. They should be planted in groups and left undisturbed.
Bouquet Parfait - Vermilion, deep golden center..........................
Germania-Very large orange scarlet, the best new variety...
Macrophylla - Strong robust variety, orange externally, inside yellow ; fine branching stems
Pure Lemon-Very fine yellow
Rosea-Bright salmon rose, distinct....
Sunbeam-(Rayon d'Or)-Rich yellow, spotted brown, in the way of Tigridia, flowers large and of good form.
Fine Mixed Varieties.


## LYCORIS SQUAMIGERA.

# A Few Hardy Perennials, Etc. 

Arundo Donax.<br>Per Per 1001000

VARIEGATA-A beautiful variegated form. Foliage creamy white and green. .$\$ 500$

## l0warf Hardy Aster.

ALPINUS-Indispensable for the rockery or edge of hardy border; grows 6 to 10 inches high, and bears large, showy blush-purple flowers in May and June.

6005000

## Daphne.

CNEOR UM—A hardy shrub which trails over the ground in a most beautiful manner. Extra fine for any position, and being evergreen it is the most desirable plant we know for cemeteries. The plant is composed of spiral branches of dense evergreen leaves. The flowers are a lovely pink color, in clusters, and are borne profusely in early spring, and during summer and fall. 12 oo

## Dicentra Spectabilis.

## BLEEDING IIEART, or SEAL FLOW-

ER - An old fashioned favorite; its long racemes of gracefu: heart-shaped flowers are always attractive. Is perfectly at home in any part of the hardy border, and especially valuable for planting in the shade. 5004500

## Funkia.

PLANTAIN LILY-The Plantain Lilies are among the easiest plants to manage; their broad, massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower. Variegated $\qquad$ 4003500

## Helleborus.

CHRISTMAS ROSE-Most valuable hardy plants on account of yielding with utmost freedom in very early spring, a season when flowers are scarce, their beautiful, large-two or three inches across-blossoms. They succeed in any ordinary garden soil in a sheltered semi-shaded situation

1000

## Hemerocallis.

FLAVA (Yellow Day Lily)—A most useful desirable herbaceous plant, producing its large, fragrant yeliow flowers during July and August in the greatest profusion; the plants grow about 3 feet high
$400 \quad 3500$

# Platycoden. <br> (Balloon Flower or Japanese Bell Flower.) 

Per 500
MARIESI-Deep blue bell-shaped flowers neariy 3 inches across.
$\$ 800$

## Polygonatum Grandiflopa.

A gigantic form of Solomon's Seal, so much like the Iily-of-the-Valler. It is a rich and vigorous pot plant for winter blooming and one that will give great satisfaction.

## Peonies.

Strong divisions, 2 to 3 eyes.
ACHILLE (Calot) - Sold by some as Marie Lemoinei; light pink, fading to pearl-white.

1000
DUCHESS DE NEMOURS (Calot) - Cupshaped sulphur-white flowers, fading to pure white ; a variety of exceptional merit.

3000
FRAGRANS or ANDRE LAURIES (Crousse) -Bright rose, very free late bloomer.

HUMEI (Anderson)-Very large, compact and striking cherry-pink flower, cinnamon fragrance, late, fine for all purposes. .

1000
FESTIVA MAXIMA (Miellez, I85I) - Enormous, very full shell formed bloom, often 7 to 8 in. in diamter, on strong $31 / 2 \mathrm{ft}$. stems; color snow white shading to delicate creamy white at base of petals, with occasional ciear purple spot on edges of center petals; very fragrant. Undoubtedly the finest early white in existence. Early.

LADY BRAMWELL (Kelway)--Compact vigorous habit; color delicate silvery pink, shaded with lilac and chamois, three nankeen petals tipped with crimson at the center; good keeper and shipper; fine bud. Largely grown for cut flowers. Late midseason

1000
L' ESPERENCE-Clear beautiful pirk. ....... Io oo
OFFICINALIS RUBRA-Crimson. Very early the first to flower

700
DOUBLE WHITE-Fine white varieties all large flowers

1000
MIXED.
600

## Spireas.

GLADSTONE-No one can properly describe the beauty of this fine new Spirea with its great feathery plnmes of white blossoms, two feet long. As a specimen pot plant it has no rival and is as easy to grow and flower in a pot as a geranium. . . .

CHINENSIS PINK--Much like the above but with lovely pink tinged sprays of bloom. Makes a splendid companion to the white sort.

1000
 Cannas for attractiveness and brilliancy, equal to Gladiolus as a cut flow er and blooms incessantly from June until December, regardless of frost. Plants are perfectly hardy in the open ground all winter south of Philadeiphia: further north they must be protected or wintered in a cellar like the ordinary Tritoma. Just bury the roots in sand; nothing more is required. Should be planted out eariy in spring, and will commence growth and bloom at once, growing larger and finer every day. Plants show from 6 to 20 grand flower stalks all the time, each holding at a height of 3 to 4 feet a great cluster of flame-colored flowers of indescribable beauty and brilliancy. Fall frosts do not kill or stop its blooming, and it is as brilliant as ever long after all other garden flowers have been killed. For cutting it is unsurpassed, and the beautiful long spikes keep several weeks in water. Without a single exception, it is the most desirable garden flower. Strong plants, $\$ 8.00$ per Ioo ; $\$ 75.00$ per 1000.

May Queen-A companion to Pfitzeri, producing tall flower stems on which are borne the great plume-like blossoms of rich yellow and flame color

> Large plants, $\$ 8.00$ per $100 ; 75.00$ per 1000 . Medium size, $\$ 5.00$ per 100; $\$ 40.00$ per 1000 .

Goldelse-A charming dwarf variety and one of the earliest to bloom and continues to bloom very late.
Color. Pale golden yellow with red top: very attractive. \$15.00 per 100.

Leda-A very useful variety. Orange scarlet and a free bloomer. \$10.00 per 100.


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